



## Opinions

### Volunteerism at its best

Adversity often brings out the best in people, and that was certainly the case in last week's flood and the aftermath. Volunteers were all over the stricken area helping their neighbors, whether by rescuing them from flooded houses, or making sandwiches or hot coffee, or housing the homeless or helping clean up waterlogged homes.

The Bethel Board of Selectmen this week passed a resolution thanking the Public Works Department, the Fire Department, the CEP, the B.E.A.R.S., the Police Department, the Bethel Area Health Center, the Sewer Department and Water District personnel for the professionalism and quick action in handling the flood situation. They also commended the citizens who donated food, assisted in providing temporary shelter for displaced persons, volunteered their time, vehicles, equipment and boats to transport persons, medicine and the mail during the height of the flood crisis.

Bethel Fire Chief Bob Davis says there should be more preparation in case of future disasters. For one thing, he recommends the town emergency personnel have a list of boat owners who can be called upon to volunteer their craft when needed. And the Bethel Hill volunteer firefighters have decided to purchase a 14-foot aluminum boat for rescue work.

Meanwhile, there is still much to be done to get people's homes and town roads back into shape. Maine, and the local communities, await action by the federal government to declare the state a disaster area and release federal funds for disaster relief. The sooner the Reagan administration acts on Gov. McKernan's request for aid, the sooner will local communities damaged by the flood find relief.

### Balm in Gilead

The proposed East-West highway from Calais to Gilead may or not belong in the transportation infrastructure of Maine. Whether it has a place in the Maine Highway System commensurate with the costs that it would take to build it is something that can be answered only by a comprehensive review of the highway requirements of the next century. There is no evidence that it is a highway around which tomorrow's road system should be built, whether or not it is a highway that is a proper incident in that system.

The maintenance of the existing highway system is something to which the State must give its early attention. Roads and bridges already in place need a lot of repair. The second level of concern surely must be the feeder routes that join that system and serve the necessities and conveniences of existing centers of population, meeting a demand that already exists. More efficient transport for major labor pools and for established industrial centers is an urgent requirement.

If there are areas handicapped by lack of access to highways their needs must be examined. It is not safe to assume that several hundred million dollars spent from Gilead to Calais would build a road that would, of itself, "people the wilderness," but the possibility of attendant economic gain needs to be studied, as an aspect of a proper highway network for Maine's future. The priority to be given individual segments of a modernized system can only be determined when a statewide plan is placed on the table.

—The Ellsworth American, April 2, 1987

### STATE TO DECIDE TODAY

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appraisal firm and is expected to cost \$3,000.

To pay for the revaluation, the town could fund the entire amount in fiscal '88 or fund half the amount while borrowing the balance. Town officials consider revaluation necessary at this time because the town's assessment ratio (assessment value to sales value) has fallen below the state-set minimum of 70 percent. Officials believe the actual assessment ratio in town may be as low as 50 percent.

Closing out the present landfill, which is estimated to have only four to six years of life remaining, will cost a lot of money, and officials want to set aside \$5,000 in the coming year. They also want to set aside a similar amount for a new solid waste disposal system, whatever system is decided upon.

The fire department and public works department both are in need of new vehicles. The fire department is hoping to add money to a fund for a new utility vehicle and a new fire truck, while public works wants to purchase a new dump truck and a new pickup. Both of the latter would be replacement vehicles. The dump truck, with plow and wing, would cost an estimated \$47,000. Presently there is \$27,000 in the capital equipment reserve account.

The budget proposal given to the Budget Committee contains about \$45,000 for police protection, but the selectmen have not yet stated whether they want the town to continue to maintain its own police department or to contract with the county sheriff's office for protection.

Either way, the cost is expected to be the same. The selectmen are expected to make their feelings known when they place the police article on the town meeting warrant.

Rep. Mills feels that the East-West Highway will be another important step in improving the transportation system for western Maine, allowing all residents improved travel, while improving the region's economic development picture.

"The subject of an east-west route has been talked about for years," stated Mills. "I think it is time to get the job done." Mills plans to move in committee to insure that funding for the East-West highway project be raised in such a manner that it will not divert funding committed to other important road improvements.

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A note  
from the  
publisher



### JEFF MILLS NOW A PARTNER IN PENLEY & MILLS COMPANY

Jeffrey N. Mills of Bethel has recently purchased a partnership in Penley and Mills Company of Bryant Pond, the company founded by the late Norman Mills, Albert Penley Sr., and Sterling Mills in the 1960s. Penley and Mills is a logging and construction company, with major emphasis on wood harvesting on company-owned woodlands. In addition to representing District 49 in the Maine Legislature, Jeff Mills has been employed by Penley and Mills since 1983.

A newspaper publisher has two major responsibilities: one is to appoint an editor; the other is to make sure the newspaper comes out on time. Last week it looked, for awhile, as if I was going to fail to carry out that second responsibility.

As you know, The Citizen uses the press of the Lewiston Sun for printing the paper each Wednesday. We generally arrive there with the pages of the paper at 8 a.m., and bring back the printed paper for distribution around noon.

Last Wednesday, as I watched the waters still rising around Bethel Village, and saw boats going out to help take people from their flooded houses, I wondered if I would be able to get out of Bethel.

Actually, my worries began the night before, as the rising flood played tricks with Bethel's power supply, finally knocking it out for good around 3 a.m. Tuesday night is when our editor, John Brown, puts the final stories into the paper, and fortunately he had power from about 10 p.m. to 3 a.m. to finish making up the pages.

But Wednesday morning, with rain falling steadily, and nothing but rain-made lakes around three sides of the village, things looked gloomy. People said they would understand if the paper didn't come out on schedule, but for me it was a point of honor to publish the paper on the date it was supposed to be published.

Only twice before in the paper's history had it been delayed: a fire in the building early in the century set back publication by a full week; and in the flood of 1936, flood waters knocked out electricity, forcing the paper to publish a day late.

Trying to get out of the village reminded me of the scene from "The Seven Samurai," where the outlaws are trapped in a village controlled by the samurai. Prospects looked bleak.

My first thought was to cross the flood at the bus garage and have Edwin Brown—who was on the other side—take the pages to Lewiston. But Tri-Town Rescue informed me that it was impossible to get past Snow Falls or to cross the High Street bridge in West Paris. Thus it was impossible to get to South Paris and beyond.

Going around towards Rumford was impossible because Rte. 2 was blocked with water, as was Rte. 220 into Bryant Pond. Going out over the Northwest Bethel Road was impossible because of water in the airport also meant I couldn't get someone to fly out our pages.

But a helicopter could land on the Common or at Crescent Park School, and the people at the Lewiston Sun said they would send a truck to pick me up at the Auburn airport—if I could get there.

I contacted the nearest helicopter service—in Augusta—and they were willing to do the job, but they couldn't take off. They had zero ceiling and zero visibility.

I asked Public Works Director Bob Davis for ideas, and he suggested trying the Songo Pond Road and then going over the hill in Waterford in order to bypass Rte. 118, which was closed by high water. That is exactly what I did. There were just a few places with deep puddles, and no serious washouts. Getting into and out of Norway was also no problem.

Getting through Mechanic Falls required a detour around part of the town, where a bridge was under water. But from there it was clear sailing—so to speak—to Lewiston.

The following day there were very accommodating despite the fact that I had up three hours late. (The circulation manager was also very surprised, because he hadn't been able to get his papers into Bethel that day and wondered how I had gotten out.) Production Manager Jim Costello Jr. kept his

books open for me, and he suggested trying the Songo Pond Road and then going over the hill in Waterford in order to bypass Rte. 118, which was closed by high water. That is exactly what I did. There were just a few places with deep puddles, and no serious washouts. Getting into and out of Norway was also no problem.

Public Works Director Bob Davis said this week, "I'll take a while to get things back to normal." But for most of us, things looked quite normal as soon as Dwight Merrill came by Thursday to pick up the trash and as soon as mail carriers began making their rounds the same day.

So far as the delay in the printing of The Citizen, it will go down as a footnote to the great flood of '87.

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garage, where the working area was under three feet of water.

A washout along the Canadian National Railway track in Gilhead closed the line until workmen could fill in the approximately 4,500 cubic yards of dirt that were lost in the washout.

The state Civil Emergency Preparedness office has directed all towns to inventory damage to roads, structures and infrastructure and submit damage estimates to the state CEP office. If and when federal aid becomes available, the state will have hand an inventory of the damage that needs repair.

Bethel's Town Manager Lynch said the greatest need at the moment is financial assistance for homeowners whose properties were damaged. In Bethel, approximately 40 homes sustained damage from the flood. Alice McAllister's home, in the Steam Mill section along Rte. 2, is considered a total loss and she is staying with friends.

Insurance agent Scott Dennis said his office—Kendall Insurance—is being flooded with calls from people wanting to know if their flood damage is covered by their insurance policies. In most cases, Mr. Dennis said, unless the homeowner has federal flood insurance, the homes are not covered.

However, the Maine State Housing Authority is offering low interest loans for repairs of flood damage.

The Bethel area was hit nearly as hard as some areas. Statewide, communities along the Kennebec River, the Penobscot River and the Piscataquis River seemed hardest hit. Farmington, on the Sandy River also suffered greatly. Of the towns on the Androscoggin River, Canton, Mexico and Rumford suffered much greater losses than towns in the Bethel area.

While in some areas of the state officials were calling it the worst flood ever recorded, officials in other areas were terming it the worst flood in 50 years—or less. "We were pretty lucky compared

to what it was in some places," remarked Bethel Public Works Director Bob Davis.

These people in the Bethel area who recall the flood of 1936 mostly consider the 1987 flood a run-up, which was quite enough. As Mr. Davis said, "It's been 50 years since we had one like this."

In Bethel itself, about a dozen families, or 40 people, had to evacuate their homes. The hardest hit areas were Doon's trailer park, the Steam Mill, Mayville, the Northwest Bethel Road and Vernon Street. Evacuees stayed with friends and relatives or at the Bethel fire station, which had heat and light, thanks to a newly purchased emergency generator.

GAMM II—the local garment factory—was the worst-stricken commercial building, losing all its machines and stock to waist-deep water.

The Red Cross toured the hardest hit areas with Town Manager Lynch on Monday and said anyone from those areas that needed assistance should contact the Red Cross at their temporary service center in the armory in Rumford. The phone numbers are 364-1561 and 364-3823.

Officials from the Federal Emergency Management Agency also toured Bethel this week, and Bethel officials have been in touch with aides of Sen. George Mitchell and Rep. Olympia Snowe.

The serious home damage inflicted by the flooding was mostly to foundations, but also to heating systems, as furnaces went under water. Some homeowners had their washing machines and dryers floating in their basements. Freezers kept in basements overturned. In those homes where water came into the house proper, furniture, appliances and rugs were ruined.

Adding to the misery caused by the flood was the fact that some area residents had to go without power for a time. In Bethel, there was a two-hour outage Tuesday night—caused by a downed power pole at Sunday River skiway—and a 12-hour outage from ear-



THE RISING WATERS OF THE ANDROSCOGGIN RIVER made a lake of the Northwest Bethel Road.

(Photo by Jeanne Boelsma)

ly Wednesday morning to Wednesday afternoon. That power interruption happened, according to CMP's John Elliot, when the control panel at the Bethel substation went under water.

CMP crews finally bypassed the Bethel substation and connected the Bethel area to the line from Bryant Pond about 2 p.m. Wednesday. West Bethel and Mason Township did not get back on line until evening. Without power, most stores stayed closed Wednesday.

Town officials in all area towns urged residents who suffered property damage to fill out damage forms. The forms can be picked up at the various town offices. "It'll take awhile to get things back to normal," Bethel Public Works Director Bob Davis predicted. And that is just what people were doing this week.



THE ROAD INTO THE TRAILER PARK NEAR THE STEAM MILL was still impassable Thursday, as water continued to flow rapidly across the road.



AS TEMPERATURES DROPPED WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON, the rain turned to snow—a heavy wet snow. The scene above was on the Songo Pond Road.



THE CLEAN-UP AT GAMM II WAS A MESSY JOB. Not only did the flood rise right above the plant's sewing machines, but the sewer backed up. Fortunately Thursday dawned sunny and warm, helping the drying process.

**Bicyclists to trek across Maine June 19 to 21 for lung association**

The American Lung Association of Maine invites bicyclists on its three-day Trek Across Maine, Sunday River to the Sea, June 19 to 21.

The third annual Trek is an opportunity for cyclists to discover the beauty of Maine from the mountains to the sea while they support the American Lung Association of Maine through pledges. Biking in groups of similar ability, the Trekkers will begin their ride in the

mountains of the Sunday River Ski Resort in Newry, travel through the heart of south-central Maine, and finish by the shores of Penobscot Bay at the Samoset Resort.

The Lung Association will provide lodging, breakfast, and dinner at two overnight stops in Farmington and Unity. Experienced leaders and support vehicles will provide constant mechanical back-up and first aid. Travel gear will be transported for the Trekkers from the start to the finish.

Each Trekker must secure a minimum number of pledges and pay a \$20 registration fee.

The Lung Association has scheduled three information and orientation meetings for bicyclists interested in this year's Trek:

April 27, at the Bangor Public Library;

April 29, at the Bangor Public Library in Augusta; and

May 11, at L.L. Bean's Casco Street complex in Freeport. All of the meetings are scheduled for 6 to 8 p.m.

For more information about the 1987

Trek Across Maine, contact ALA of Maine, 128 Sewall Street, Augusta, Maine 04330; telephone [toll-free] 1-800-462-LUNG or 662-6394.



A MOTORBOAT MAKES ITS WAY DOWN CROSS STREET last Wednesday, between stacks of lumber. Boats were used to bring the mail into town Wednesday, and to deliver medicine from the health center to a patient on the other side of town, and to evacuate some residents in low-lying areas. The water was measured at three feet on the wall of the school bus garage, across Rte. 26 from Cross Street. The water completely covered the control panel of the CMP substation next to the bus garage, knocking out power to Bethel for about 12 hours.

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## High Street West Paris

By VIVA WHITMAN

What a rain storm we have had, and the snow melting, sure has made plenty of water to cause lots of trouble in the state of Maine. I said when they told how much rain we might get that there would very likely be flooding. I'm just thankful that we don't live near the water and have to be moved when we get so much rain. As Russell said this morning, it looks like winter wonderland outside with the snow that fell yesterday afternoon and a little during the evening. The birds and squirrels are trying to find something to eat out back and it is fun to watch the little juncos scratch to find food.

Saw the first little robin two days ago and he looked real pert but it won't be good looking for food for the robins till this snow melts. Perhaps it will do just that before the day is over.

Still not in the pink of condition from this spell of derviticultus that I have been having. It has been the worst so far. Hope I don't have any more spells like it. They aren't much fun.

Seems as though all I do is go to the doctors at times and this is one of the times. However, have to get help when I am sick and the only way is to go see a doctor.

Lawrence is recuperating from his troubles and Russell has gone up to see how he was. I'd like to but just haven't had the ambition as yet. Hope to find some hidden in some corner, pretty soon.

I'm not up to writing very much this morning. Hilda Taylor called in one evening with a couple of things I had ordered. Helen Stout came up to get help with some of her studies but I wasn't too much help that evening.

Wynona called from Lewiston and told me she had fallen and hurt her ankle badly. The x-rays showed she had pulled the ligaments badly so don't know as she will be able to help Michael with his grand opening of LaVerdiere's at North Port Plaza in Portland. He has been working so many long hours to get the new store ready. Hopefully, I will get to see it in the near future, where I can't go down now.

He came up to get my car for Nonie to drive as she couldn't use the clutch after hurting her ankle.

She had gone to the knitting bazaar for knitting needles the wind slammed the door against her ankle. She said she thought she had broken it at first x-rays showed differently. Ligaments can be worse than a break some times. Hope she goes over it quickly for her sake.

It is a shame that we had to have such flooding with this rain storm but nothing one can do about it only clean up after and go on. I feel bad for folks who had water come into their homes and ruin so many things. It is so hard to make a living today, anyway, and to have something like this happen, makes it even worse. I am just thankful that we live on the higher level of land. I love the water as much as anyone but would never build near a river or other large stream. You just never know when something like this freak storm will come along and cause you to lose so much.

West Paris Grange tonight and I was asked to fill an office but guess I won't be going. Hopefully, Russell can go if he so desires but I'll stay home.

Can't think of anything to write this

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## North Paris

By EVELINE B. VATCHER

Did anybody and everybody get an April Fool joke? Eveline studies the "Old Farmer's Almanac" and it said, "Fool's cold, snow we're told" for April 1 and when she mentioned it several people laughed at me and said there be no snow in this beautiful spring weather, but we got some along with plenty of water.

The Inman brothers and Sayward and Cynthia Lamb went to the Sportsman's Show March 28 at Augusta.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Reidy of Tyngsboro, Mass., spent the weekend at their trailer on the Rockford road. They came to attend a Rotary time in Bethel but they were all sold out so they visited with the Vatchers, then went to the dance at Locke Mills, and returned home Sunday.

The first meeting of the Community Club for 1987 was scheduled for April 1, but it was cancelled due to inclement weather. This is the month we start our monthly suppers for the summer. More details next week.

Sincere sympathy is extended to the family of Edgar Davis. In ten days time both the mother and the father passed away. Also sympathy is extended to the family of Mrs. Ina Mahoney (Sandra Broberg's mother). Our many friends have left us this winter.

Robert Anderson Sr., Burlington, Mass., came to his recently purchased trailer in Bridgton Wednesday where he worked two days cleaning it out and cleaning it up as he will rent it out.

He came to the Vatchers' Wednesday and had supper with them. He was surprised when it started to snow and snowed so hard.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Vatcher went to Mexico on business Friday. They started for Mexico but had to turn back at two places, one just beyond the Madison Motel and again at Rumford Corner near the Thornton farm. "Water, water everywhere but not a drop to drink."

Callers at the Root Lawrence were Mr. and Mrs. Norman Abbott, Elizabeth Cummings, Arnold Coffin, Stanley Hoyt.

Corey Bonney is at Togus. Get well soon, Corey.

### Notes from the Woodstock Historical Society

*Consider the following quote —*

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Ray Burnham and Spike Noyes have been doing work at the museum. Thanks very much.

At the next society meeting, Milton Inn will show slides of West Paris interest.

morning so guess I will call this enough. I hope everyone is all right after the big storm and that we don't get too much precipitation for the weekend. We can stand the sun again after that big storm. It would get things back on an even keel.

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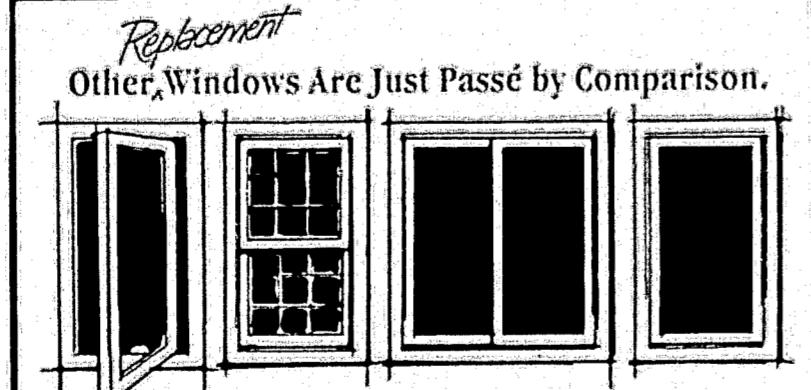
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## So. Woodstock

By OLIVE DAVIS

The weather has been wrong for good maple syrup run. It came off warmer so they had one fair run and since then it hasn't frozen nights, thus, no run.

The snow has gone off by the sun, most likely to Tuesday morning when it was pouring, and it looks as though it will continue awhile.

Vera Buck and I had a ride to Bethel Wednesday. On my way up I blew a muffler. What a noise! I thought something had dropped on the car. I called on Bob's Corner Store and Bob fixed up the car again for which I was thankful.

Sunday afternoon Esther Davis invited me to ride to Brunswick where we called on Velma Davis who is in Mere Point nursing home. Then we called on Mr. and Mrs. Frank Packard before coming home.

Mrs. Esther Davis called on her sister and husband Mr. and Mrs. James Whipple more at Livermore one day this week.

Some attended town meeting at Bryant Pond Monday night. Vernon Inman acted as moderator.

Mrs. Herman Bean has been in the hospital for weeks with an infection in her knee. She is hoping to come home soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellsworth Hathaway went to Sierra Vista, Ariz., two weeks ago to visit their son, David Hathaway, and family. David is stationed in this area as he is in the service.

Hathaway and Joyce Hathaway arrived home Saturday in their mobile home and reported a good trip. Monica Mann and daughter stayed in the Hathaway home while they were gone.

Buster Poland is having sales at the community house at South Woodstock weekends now.

Our spring birds are arriving daily. Now I saw a bluebird, juncos, song sparrow, purple grackle, robins, tree sparrow, crows, and starlings so far.

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**NLP workshop to be offered May 8-9 at Bingham House**

The SAD #44 Adult and Community Education Program is pleased to announce the offering of a special development Workshop—Using Your Brain for a Change/NLP. Barbara Greig of NTL will be the facilitator for this workshop exploring the subject of Neuro-Linguistic Programming (NLP) to be held at the Bingham House in Bethel on Friday evening, May 8, and all-day Saturday, May 9. In describing the topic, Greig said, "We have more influence on our thoughts and feelings than we frequently think. This influence can be either positive or negative and can either keep us from living the way we would like, and helps us use these patterns to our benefit. It also helps us to change these patterns to more productive results." Greig will be in Bethel during the coming summer as a staff member for a series of NLP workshops for managers, trainers, and team leaders. Initially used for effecting individual change, NLP is now used in the training process with groups and organizations.

At the workshop, participants will learn ways to identify their own patterns of high performance, how to apply these patterns to specific areas of their lives, how to exercise more control over their responses to others and to the environment, and how to use past performances—positive and negative—to enhance present performance. Patterns for individual high performance are able to be identified, learned and used using NLP techniques.

Cathy Newell, SAD #44 Director of Adult and Community Education and member of the Bethel Liaison Committee, stated that this workshop should be a fine addition to the list of programs co-sponsored by the Liaison Committee and local adult education. Barbara Greig has been a regular NTL staff member in Bethel, and her Sunrise Seminars in 1985 and 1986 on NLP were highly acclaimed and led to the request for a more in-depth workshop. To enroll in the NLP Workshop, call the SAD #44 Adult and Community Education office, 224-2780. Please register by May 1. There will be a registration fee of \$20 which will include lunch on Saturday.

**Gould college acceptances**

The following Gould Academy seniors have been accepted for entrance to the following colleges and universities:

John Amador, Manchester, N.H.—The University of Puget Sound, Tacoma, Wash.; Alfred Au, Kowloon, Hong Kong; Clarkson University, Potsdam, N.Y.; Eric McLean, Randolph-Wheaton College, Norton, Mass.; Greg Ng, Los Angeles, Calif.—University of California; Shirley O'Hara, Sarasota, Fla.—New England College, Henniker, N.H.; Jen Sanborn, Bangor-Cadillac State University, Fort Collins, Colo., and the United States Coast Guard Academy, New London, Conn.; Jim Stumbo, Los Angeles, Calif.—the University of California at Berkeley and the University of California at San Diego; John Strait, Wells-Penn State University, Erie, Pa.; Kevin Vandenberg, Denver, Colo.—Beloit College, Beloit, Wis.; Mark Van Winkle, South Casco-Saint Lawrence University, Canton, N.Y.; and Caitlin Winn, Topsfield—the University of Southern Maine. Pa.; Heather McIntosh, Camden-Ever-

**Gould top ten**

Associate Headmaster Harry "Dutch" Dresser announced Gould Academy's top ten senior scholars last week.

Valedictorian for the class of 1987 is Kurt Crandall, son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Crandall of Bethel. During Kurt's two years at Gould he participated in sports and was the leading scorer on the basketball team that placed 4th in the Western Maine Class D standings. He is also a member of Blue Key, Gould's student service organization, the national Honor Society, Boys State, and the academic decathlon program.

The other nine whom were honored were: Missy Ames, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James E. Ames, Hanover, a four year day student active in sports, National Honor Society, drama and as a PSAT/NMSC commended scholar; Barney Boyd, Orono, a one year post graduate who holds the Algus Scholarship for students seeking an appointment to one of the four United States service academies; Amyt Cutter, daughter of Seth Cutter, Rockport, Mass., two years at Gould, is a proctor in her dormitory, a member of the National Honor Society, active in sports and a commended scholar for the PSAT/NMSC; Derek Dresser, son of Dr. and Mrs. Harry H. Dresser, Jr. of Bethel, a four year Gould student active in soccer, skiing and lacrosse, member of the National Honor Society, a proctor in his dormitory, and a commended scholar; Susan Isham, Albion Township, a four year day student who is a member of Blue Key, and an athlete in three sports; Eric Mader, son of Dr. Sylvia S. Mader, Edgartown, Mass., and Norbert K. Mader, Seabrook, Texas, who has spent three years at Gould and is an editor of the Academy Herald and a member of the tennis team; Kevin Mattson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mattson, Manchester, who was a member of the Gould tennis team; Jenn Sanborn, daughter of Mrs. Elsa Sanborn, Bangor, a two year Gould student active in sports, Blue Key, the National Honor Society, and is also a commended scholar.

The 10 seniors will join 74 classmates at Gould Academy's 151st commencement exercises on May 23.

**West Greenwood**

By CAROLYN COLBY

Irene Wilson will certainly remember what happened on her birthday this year. It was the day of the "big flood of '87", and her cat had five kittens before morning while the power was off. What a present!

Laurie Wilson and friend Scot visited Irene Wednesday. Stan and Gloria Wilson were there on Friday.

Gen Gorham is out of the hospital and doing fine. Her daughter Patricia Haskemeyer, Waterford, N.Y., is spending some time with him.

Last weekend, Harry and Bernie Moore of Goshen, Conn., on their way home from a four to five week cross-country trip, stopped for a visit with their son and family, Marc, Leslie, Nathan and Jennie Moore.

**PUBLIC NOTICE**  
Pursuant to 39 M.R.S.A. 2451 B, the Bethel Board of Selectmen will meet at 7 p.m. Monday, April 20, 1987, in the Town Office meeting room to hear comments from interested citizens and act upon the Automobile and Graveyard Permit Application from Harold and Mary Jane Gaudreau, d/b/a Gaudreau's Repair on Rt. 26 and Sherwood Jordan d/b/a The Pits, Grover Hill Road.  
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Bethel Board of Selectmen

**Newry**

By AMY HANSOM

Jacqueline Cramton has resigned as School District Director and Marjorie Osgood has been appointed to serve in her place until the March 1988 town meeting.

Town Clerk June Swan wishes to remind dog owners, who have not licensed their dogs, that the selectmen will issue a dog warrant to the animal control officer this month. After that time, an additional fee of \$4 will be charged for collecting.

The assessors met Thursday to work on the land revaluation. All land will be revalued this year, to bring assessed valuations here more in line with selling prices, as required by law. Assessors plan to revalue buildings next year. A sharp increase will be noted in values of building lots in subdivisions, and other land will be revalued. Building lots in Sunday River Village, which sold for \$5,000 to \$6,000 for a one acre lot, now sell for \$30,000 to \$35,000 and up. Because of new construction and revaluation, a substantial increase in the town valuation will be noted. This will result in a decrease in the tax rate, even with a 4 percent increase in the amount to be raised by taxation over the 1986 tax commitment.

**FOR SALE**

Good Friday Services will be held at

the Newry Community Church April 17 at 7 p.m. Anyone interested in joining a choir for the anthem please be at the church at 9 a.m.  
The title of Pastor Hansom's message Sunday morning was "A Fool Will Be Chosen," with scripture readings from 1st Samuel 16:1-13 and Ephesians 5:1-4.  
breakfast at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Owen Wright. Services will be held at the church at 9 a.m.  
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**THURSDAY EVENING APRIL 9, 1987**

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(4)	Ming Islands	Tech Times	India	Quest for Healing	Chronicles	Ark	Breakthru'	Buckman		
(5)	Hardcastle	Daktari		700 Club			Bill Cosby	Hardcastle		
(6)	Magnum, P.I.	Cosby Sh.	Family Ties	Cheers	Nothing In	L.A. Law	News	Carson		
(8)	Newlywed	Dating G.	Our World	Jack and Mike	20/20		News	Nightline		
(10)	MacNeil/Lehrer	Mainwatch	Location	Health Wise	Page 10	Mystery!	Wild Amer	Pallisers		
(11)	Marcus Welby, M.D.	Call to Glory		Regis Philbin Show	Dr. Ruth Show	"The Rain People"				
(12)	Be a Star	Fandango	Nashville Now		Country	Crook	Video City	Be a Star	Fandango	
(13)	Fortune	Jeopardy	Wizard	Simon & Simon	Knots Landing	News				
(16C)	Jeffersons	INN News	Movie: "Night Chase"		INN News	Odd Couple	H'moone			
(18E)	Jazz Session	Movie: "Mr. Blandings Builds His Dream House"		Movie: "The Money Pit"		Neighbors				
(20G)	Major League Baseball: Boston Red Sox at Milwaukee Brewers			Fight Night at the Forum						
(21H)	SportsCen	NHL Hockey: Divisional Semifinals Game 2			Baseball	SpeedWeek	SportsCen			
(22I)	Sanford	Major League Baseball: Philadelphia Phillies at Atlanta Braves		Movie: "Love at First Bite"						
(24K)	Can'tTV	Dangerous	D. Reed	Mister Ed	My 3 Sons	Sothen	I Spy		Route 66	
(26M)	Airwolf	Riptide		Golf: Masters			Allied Hitchcock Hour			
(27N)	Tenko	Woman in White	Wildlife	A Look at Liv		Silver Feet				
(29P)	Movie: "Quicksilver"			Movie: "Howling II"	Hitchhiker	Greatest Sports Upsets				
(31R)	Movie: "Quest" Cont'd	Walt Disney Presents	Disney's Academy Award Winners	Animals	Ozzie	Bells Ring				
(32S)	\$100,000	Entertain.	News	Chance	Movie: "El Cid"		C. Burnett	Cannon		
(34U)	B. Miller	Jeffersons	Chiefs		News	H'moone				

**FRIDAY EVENING APRIL 10, 1987**

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(4)	Australia Naturally	Breakthru'	Elegance	Asmat	World Alive	Nature	Perspective	Dragon		
(5)	Hardcastle	Butterfly	Campbells	700 Club		Bill Cosby	Hardcastle			
(6)	Magnum, P.I.	Roomies	Amazing	Miami Vice	Stingray	News	Carson			
(8)	Newlywed	Dating G.	Charming	Webster	Movie: "Dark Mirror"	News	Nightline			
(10)	MacNeil/Lehrer	Washington	Wall St.	Great Performances	Lord Elgin	Notebook	AC Clarke			
(11)	Marcus Welby, M.D.	Call to Glory		Regis Philbin Show	Dr. Ruth Show	Take/With You				
(12)	Be a Star	Fandango	Nashville Now		Country	Crook	Video City	Be a Star	Fandango	
(13)	Fortune	Jeopardy	Nothing	Popcorn K	Dallas	Falcon Crest	News			
(16C)	Jeffersons	INN News	Movie: "Bad News Bears in Breaking Training"		INN News	At Movies	H'moone			
(18E)	Movie: "The Bride"		Movie: "Fright Night"		Movie: "Transylvania 6-5000"					
(20G)	Red Sox	Friday Night Ringside			Raceweek	Divers	Candlepin Bowling			
(21H)	SportsCen	Wrestling		Top Rank Boxing						
(22I)	Sanford	Major League Baseball: Atlanta Braves at New York Mets		World of Audubon		Night Tracks Power Play				
(24K)	Can'tTV	Dangerous	D. Reed	Mister Ed	My 3 Sons	Sothen	I Spy		Route 66	
(26M)	Airwolf	Riptide		Golf: Masters		Night Flight				
(27N)	Woman in White	Movie: "The Girl Who Couldn't Say No"		F. Scott Fitzgerald	Buffalo Bill	Signature				
(29P)	Movie: "Running Brave"	Movie: "Head Office"		Movie: "Ghostbusters"		Not News				
(31R)	Gabbirossi	Zorro	Five Mile Creek	Movie: "In Search of the Castaways"	Ozzie	House				
(32S)	\$100,000	Major League Baseball: Atlanta Braves at New York Mets			News	C. Burnett	Cannon			
(34U)	B. Miller	Major League Baseball: Chicago Cubs at Philadelphia Phillies			News					

**SATURDAY EVENING APRIL 11, 1987**

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(4)	Miles to Go	Last Chase	Switching On	2000	Scientists	Hands	A. Leopold	Volunteers	Rotary Club	
(5)	Campbell's	Butterfly	Gospel Music Association Dove Awards		Michael W. Smith	Ankerberg	Look at Me			
(6)	Star Trek	Facts/Life	227	Golden G	Mrs C	Hunter	News	Sat Night		
(8)	Star Search	Starman	Chara	Spenser For Hire		Throb				
(10)	Minister	Vic at Sea	Wonderworks	Doctor Who	Sandbaggers	R. Perrin				
(11)	Movie: "Rage of Angels"			Regis Philbin Show	Dr. Ruth Show	Partners in Crime				
(12)	Kitchen	Wk./Music	Opry	Ronnie Milsap in Celebration		Kitchen	Country			
(13)	Fortune	It's a Living	New Mike Hammer	Movie: "Stagecoach"		News	Videos			
(16C)	Darksides	Charles	Movie: "Spellbound"		INN News	The Paradise Case				
(18E)	Movie: "Mask" Cont'd	Movie: "Weird Science"		Comedy	Movie: "Bedroom Eyes"	Training				
(20G)	Coll Lacrosse	Massachusetts at New Hampshire	Major League Baseball: Toronto Blue Jays at Boston Red Sox							
(21H)	Sports	NHL Hockey: Divisional Semifinals Game 3		NFL Films	Speedwk	Sports				
(22I)	Wrestling	Cont'd	Movie: "The Sugarland Express"		Cancer	Charbusters				
(24K)	Can'tTV	Bad Bears	D. Reed	Mister Ed	Movie: "Diary of a Young Comic"	Movies	Monkees			
(26M)	Riptide		Movie: "Vampire Men of the Lost Planet"	Hitchcock	Hitchcock	Movie: "Bluebeard"				
(27N)	Golden Age of Television	Movie: "Whoopee"		Love and Money	Solo	Signature				
(29P)	Brewster's Millions	Movie: "The Hollywood Knights"	Movie: "Rocky IV"	Hitchhiker	Commando					
(31R)	Anne of Green Gables	Anne of Green Gables	A Prairie Home Companion	Television Special	Movie: "Country"					
(32S)	It's a Living	Ma's Fam	News	House Calls	Movie: "El Greco"	Benny Hill	Black Lake			
(34U)	Major League Baseball	Chicago Cubs at Philadelphia Phillies		News	Alto Alto	Britton				

**SUNDAY EVENING APRIL 12, 1987**

	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(4)	Women of Courage	Cinema	Al Whitlock	Land of Eastern Borders	American Diary	Odyssey				
(5)	Quest	Fred Travalena	In Touch	Ben Haden	Rock Alive	Ed Young				
(6)	Our House	Rags to Riches		Jesus of Nazareth		News	Sports			
(8)	Disney Sunday Movie			Movie: "Her Secret Life"		Dempsey				
(10)	Upstairs, Downstairs	Nature		Masterpiece Theatre	Ascent of Man	SCTV	Comedy			
(11)	A.M.A. Clinic	Physicians' Jnl.		Cardiology	Medicine	Ob / Gyn	Milestones	Update	Medicine	
(12)	American Sports Cavalcade	Wish Here	MotoWorld	Heroes	Perform.	BASSmaster	Championship Rodeo			
(13)	60 Minutes	Movie: "Escape from Sobibor"				M*A*S*H				
(16C)	Movie: "Hard to Hold"	Rich & Famous	Runaway	Success	INN News	At Movies	Allo Allo	H'moone		
(18E)	Movie: "East of Eden"	Movie: "The Road Warrior"		Movie: "The Exorcist"		The				
(20G)	Baseball	Major League Baseball: Game of the Week		WWF Wrestling		Fishing	Outdoors			
(21H)	SportsCen	NHL Hockey: Divisional Semifinals Game 4		NFL Stars		SportsCenter				
(22I)	Movie: "Silver City"			National Geographic Explorer		Page	J. Falwell			
(24K)	Turkey Television	Cont'd								
(26M)	Virginian		Wanted	Robert Klein Time	Cover Story	Hollywood	Go for Your Dreams			
(27N)	Living Dangerously	Good/Cafe	Damp	Dancing Daze	A&E Passport	Evening at the Improv				
(29P)	Johnny Dangerously	Movie: "The Money								

Wednesday, April 8, 1987

**Greenwood City**

By COLISTA MORGAN

Running water! There are no words that hold such magic! They evoke lovely images, the sound of it and the cool purity of its touch. There's a sense of mystery and adventure. Where did it come from, this stream? Where did it start?

The pattern is the same; first the icy mountain brook, flowing over pebbles, moving to join another stream, as it forms and tumbles through little gorges; then to form a silvery mountain lake. Here it may leap in a cataract and roar on through the foothills before gathering itself between grassy banks on its way to meet the tides.

This is the way of running water. Its scale changes with the scale of the land it nourishes.

So this 26th day of March I went out between the showers to listen to my brooks sing, gurgle, and talk their way down the hills. It some way there was crystalline transparency, completely free from sediment. In other shoals of black, formed of decaying leaves intermingled with twigs and little puffs of green algae rode in the flow of the river off water.

Behind me, below me, beyond me the brooks swirled, hurried and tumbled along their rocky beds. All their liquid sounds pushed back the stillness.

Like the wind these brooks exist only in motion and may extend through years flowing on and on. They are life without life, without sensation or emotion, but with action, music, and beauty, I like them!

I paused to look at a maple which I have passed many times and used to wonder about. There is another very near. The diameter of one is much more than the other. The smaller bends and disappears into the larger. To me this was a mystery which Clyde, a woodsman, at one time explained to me. Sometimes a soft maple, quick growing, is bent by the wind or a storm and its top is lodged in the crook of an older maple. The latter grows around it. Eventually the top dies and falls away. The lower part remains and the upper end disappears into the wood of another tree.

I returned home. A quiet elation filled my mind. Spring, spring will soon be here!

Last week a lady near Bethel took a minute to call me and tell me that she reads and enjoys my column; it made a lonely day brighter. I do not know her but did appreciate her thought.

I went with my brother, Fred and wife Rena, their son Albert and wife Marie Curtis, and my sister, Lucy Ridley, to Portland last week to visit my brother who still remains a patient at Maine Medical Center.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Inman were at their cottage here beside me on Sunday, March 29. They enjoyed the spring day, snow going and the channel of the pond open once again.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Mills of Shapleigh came to have dinner with me on Saturday. They had called on other relatives Irene Twitchell, Lucy Ridley, and after leaving here went to see Mr. and Mrs.

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**Gilead**

By LOUISE LORING

Torrents of sleek sheets of silver rain pelleted against rooftops, belted against window panes—driveways here became sodden masses of slimy mud, before filling to miniature rivers. Birds huddle on the tables, their bodies laden down with dampness, too cold, too desolate, to move, and we were in the throes of the worst spring flooding since the spring of 1938. Power was off in town permanently from 3 a.m., until 2 p.m. the following afternoon. Rumors prior to that had been circulating that there would be no power here for 2 or 3 days. Those without the foresight to have had stored bottles of drinking water were panicking. Route 2 towards New Hampshire was washed away just after the cement bridge, and on down the road towards Bethel the Pleasant River made it impossible to travel there. Exit via the North Road, was impossible also, so we were isolated here without daily papers, electricity or water in many cases. Big Ed's Diner and Country Store became a refuge for stranded travelers and thankfully, news of the storm's progress in other areas was relayed to us via telephone as the lines here remained open and thankful so.

The Canadian National Railway was completely washed away above and below town here, and at this writing, work trains are working from dawn to dusk to repair the damage.

Cole and housekeeper had to vacate their home in Wild River on the evening of March 31 as for the first time in many memories overflowed its banks in the area.

At this point and time many families began to plan for the future in case Mother Nature plans to deluge us again in this manner. Among the most valuable purchases would be: a portable generator and potty chair; extra tissue paper; a can of 48 hour deodorant; and last but not least, a manually operated can opener.

All in all we were fortunate here in Gilead and our heart goes out to our neighbors below us who were not as fortunate as we.

Yes, it seems o' Mother Nature made fools of all of us on the 1st, a date that will be remembered throughout history. So until next time folks, keep the faith and Peace.

Fred Curtis and Dorothy Curtis. They had their granddaughter Necole Goodwin with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Goodwin were in Brunswick on Friday to see her brother and sister.

Ann Holt, Bethel, was at the farm with her father and mother on Sunday and came to see me.

Mr. and Mrs. Gregg Inman and two girls were at Maplevwood on Sunday afternoon.

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**SUNDAY RIVER TREE SERVICE****824-2886****NHVTC-Berlin announces plans for summer elderhostel sessions**

For the third year in a row, plans are underway at Berlin's New Hampshire Technical College to host Elderhostel during the summer. Individuals from the North Country should take notice since they are eligible to participate as consumers. Three sessions will be held on the college campus during the months of June, July and August. The program is coming under the direction of NHVTC Dean of Community Education, Peter Lewis, and Financial Aid Officer, Emily Elliott.

According to Lewis, Elderhostel is an educational program for older adults who want to continue to expand their horizons and to develop new interests and enthusiasms. "Elderhostel is for older citizens on the move, not just in terms of travel but in terms of intellectual activity as well," he says.

Elliott says Elderhostel has its origins in the youth hostels of Europe and the folk schools of Scandinavia. "The program was launched in 1975 by founder Marty Knotlon, a well-known social activist and educator who as impressed by the way in which the availability of a network of modest accommodations encouraged and nurtured an adventure-hosteling spirit in Europeans," says Elliott.

Over the past 12 years the program has grown in 1988, over 112,000 hostellers enrolled on programs in all 50 states, all 10 Canadian provinces and over 35 countries overseas.

Participants who come to Berlin are housed in the Twitchell House directly across from the college. Each session runs from Sunday through Saturday and offers three courses, each of which meets for one and one-half hours per day.

Lewis says the first session at NHVTC-Berlin is scheduled for June 21 through 27. It will feature courses on the Grand Hotels of Northern New England, Gourmet American Cuisine, and Landscapes of North New Hampshire.

The second session will be held during the week of July 19 through 25. Its course will include The Importance of Laughter—Comedy in Theory and Practice, Antiquing (the art of distinguishing antiques), determining value and collecting for the beginner and the expert), and Gourmet Chinese Cuisine. The third and final session this summer is set for Aug. 2 through 8. The courses offered during that week will include Orienteering—From City Streets to Mountain Peaks (the art of navigating along an unfamiliar course by using a map and compass and passing certain landmarks), The Cuisine of Italy—Beyond Pasta, and Small Plants of Northern New Hampshire. Although not all of the instructors have been lined up, they are expected to include professors for the college and individuals from the community.



STATE SEN. DON TWITCHELL ATTENDED last week's Woodstock Town Meeting and presented retiring Selectman Cliff York a certificate of appreciation from the Legislature for Mr. York's years of dedicated service to the town.

**Albany Improvement Assn. to meet April 13**

The Albany Improvement Association is holding a meeting, Monday, April 13, at 7 o'clock at the town hall. Among the topics to be discussed are fund raisers for the hall and the ongoing renovations to the hall.

Any town resident interested in the town hall or other subjects concerning the township is urged to attend.

Individuals who wish to participate in the Elderhostel program and live at the Twitchell House must obtain an application form through the Elderhostel headquarters, 80 Boylston Street, Suite 400, Boston, Mass. 02116. The cost for the week's stay is \$115. Commuters are also welcome to participate in any of the sessions at a cost of \$85. Commuters must preregister through the college's Division of Community Education. Commuter space is limited. All field trips and lunches will be included in the cost, and commuters are invited to participate in all of the extracurricular activities as well. Those activities will include a lobster bake, a trip to the Weatherwane Theater, and a Cabaret, an evening of entertainment planned and orchestrated by the Elderhostelers.

Previous participants in the Berlin Elderhostel programs have hailed from states that included New York, Connecticut, Massachusetts, Pennsylvania, Arizona, Michigan, Virginia, North Carolina, Florida, Maryland and the southern part of New Hampshire. Individuals seeking more information on the sessions or information about commuting may contact Emily Elliott at the college by calling (603) 752-1113.

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THIS WEEK AT THE  
Moses Mason House

Approximately 60 persons attended the April meeting of the Bethel Historical Society last Thursday evening to hear Mary C. Keniston present some highlights of one of Bethel's most historic areas—Mill Hill. Due to the presence of a stream suitable for operating grist and saw mills, this section of Bethel, just below Bethel Hill was one of the first to be settled. The man responsible for much of this development was Eleazer Twitchell (1744-1818), who built a saw and grist mill near the site of the present Mill Brook bridge. Later a worker's house was constructed here. This site proved unfeasible for residences due to the high water of 1765. Twitchell moved to a site about half way up the present Mill Hill and built a cabin. This soon proved too small for his 12 children and he built the large clapboard house near the top of the hill (just behind the present Opera House Condominium) known as "The Castle." The road on Mill Hill began as a bridle path cleared by Twitchell in order to reach his "Castle."

Through the years the Mill Hill area has been the site of a grist mill, several saw mills, potash works, carding mill, fulling mill, and starch factory among others. Eber Clough (1814-1883) is listed in the 1874 *Maine Register* as a manufacturer of woolens, starch, spoons and salt boxes here. Deacon Robbins Brown (1786-1862) operated a tannery here which was later owned by sons David (1812-1882) and Robbins Jr. (1818-1879). One of the most enduring of Mill Hill buildings was the wagon and carriage shop operated by Frank C. Barlett (1835-1905) and later by his son Frank B. "Frankie" (1881-1958). Mrs. Keniston recalled her own memories of "Frankie's" shop and quoted from those of Catherine Lyon Bush, Francis Berry and Margaret Joy Tibbets.

Mill Hill was also the site of several residences, several of which have been destroyed by fire or the wrecker's hammer through the years. It still is home to several families and a large number of families have rented them through the years. Mrs. Keniston provided many details and slides of past and present Mill Hill buildings and people. One of the most interesting institutions on Mill Hill was the maternity house operated by Linnie Abbott where so many Bethel people were born in the teens and early 1920s.

Mrs. Keniston emphasized the change in Mill Hill from being primarily a manufacturing center in the 19th and early 20th centuries to a residential one today. There are no mills left, only a few foundations. Yet it is still possible to see the evidence of 200 years of development in this most historic place.

During the business portion of the meeting President Alden Kennett announced that the acquisition of the month was a souvenir plate made in Germany with a view of Bethel painted on it with the caption "Saddleback, Bethel, Maine." It was made for Laura C. Hall who operated a gift shop in the Cole Block in



GOV. MCKERNAN WELCOMED MRS. LUNNEY'S 7TH GRADE Maine History class at the capital recently. Those making the trip were, left to right, Mrs. Lunney, Michael Emerson, Jason Walega, Jeff Bailey, Dwayne Self, Tom Morton, Susan Crandall, Matthew Bean, Haley Blake, Melanie Arsenault, Michelle Perry, Dawn Chadbourn, Brandy Russo, David Hansom, Hannah Kimball, Amy Hannon, Dawn Davis, Gov. McKernan, Dustin Howe, Terry St. John, Bridget Remington, Denise

Coolidge, Scott Spaulding, Robin Michaud, Michelle Gould, Solai Buchanan, Heidi Hinckley, Casey Swan, Amanda Wight, Howard Rice, Jody Brooks, Jeff Thurston, Bruce Farrar, Matthew Arsenault, April Yates, Shilo Hutchins, Joshua Plavlock, Esau Cooper, Howie Roberts, Eric Currier, Scott Walker, Mike McAllister, Rosemary Farrar, Bobby Hand.

## the 1880s. It was donated by Meg Cousins, Bethel. Also on display were a number of recent donations from Mary Keniston, Walter W. Wright, John Crampton and Ralph Hall. President Kennett also brought to the members' attention that the next meeting will be held on May 7 and feature Ben B. Conant, curator of the Paris Cape Historical Society who will speak on "Bethel-Paris Connections."

The president announced that Randall H. Bennett's book *Oxford County, Maine. A Guide to its Historic Architecture* had received a glowing review in the Maine Sunday Telegram for March 15, 1987 and circulated copies of the review for anyone who had not read it. Society Director Stanley R. Howe reported that the sales of the book were progressing well and that reviews were expected in a number of other publications.

Refreshments and a social hour followed the presentation on Mill Hill's history.

## CARD OF THANKS

We, the family of Edgar and Lectie Davis, wish to thank everyone at Ledgewise Home for the kind and loving care given our parents, grandparents, and great-grandparents. Also, to Nick Clements of Andrews Funeral Home, Pastors Roland Lord and Linwood Hanson for their words of comfort. To all our friends, relatives, and neighbors for contributions, cards, flowers, food and prayers.

Lloyd Davis  
Lee and Emma Davis; Billings  
Rob and Norma Davis  
Phil and Sonja Davis  
Grandchildren  
Great-Grandchildren

## East Stoneham

By GLADYS KILGORE

Many of us living on low land have flooded cellars. The river in back of me is higher than usual and the brook below me is way over its banks and it is still raining of this writing. I hear some roads have been closed.

Mrs. Thurston of Albany is caring for Carl McKeen who is very ill.

Mrs. Gladys Plummer, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Grant and myself went to South Paris for dinner Sunday.

It was nice to see Sarah Grover out driving her car Friday.

Mrs. Frances Grant visited her cousin, Wilma Knot at Lovell and had dinner with her Tuesday.

Mrs. Edith Holt of North Waterford visited Mrs. Grace Nelson Tuesday.

The children all had a day at home Wednesday as there wasn't any school.

Mrs. Gladys Plummer went to Lewiston Wednesday with the Malletts of Albany.

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Frances  
Mona & Bob  
Stu & Bud  
Grand &  
Great-Grandchildren

## News from Adult &amp; Community Education

## West Bethel

By HARRIETT STOWELL

Rosemary Stowell has returned to her home in Woburn, Mass., after spending a few days with her parents.

Sunday dinner guests of Frances Bennett were Mr. and Mrs. Earl Aremburg of Haverhill, N.H., who took their mother Evelyn back to Haverhill. She had spent several weeks with her sister, other callers at Mrs. Bennett's during the week were her nephews and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Roland Hayes of Manchester, N.H.

Several families living in low areas had their cellars full of water and all of us were without electric power and heat for about 24 hours.

Ruth and Arthur Gilbert, Arthur and Sheila Head, Jonathan and Rowena Stowell and children were in Mexico last Saturday evening to help celebrate the first birthday of the Gilbert's grand-daughter, Cassandra Perez. Other guests were Ben and Roberta Perez, Cassandra's parents, Maria Perez-Meader and Bobbie Meader.

Sunday guests of Colleen Boyd were Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Dresser and Mr. and Mrs. Rick Dresser and children of Vermont.

Cleve Lovejoy and Rick Whitney were in Rumford Friday to help the Ray West repair a partially burned barn. Another barn was completely destroyed.

The West Bethel Union Church will hold their annual meeting on Thursday, April 9, preceded by a potluck supper at 5:30. The meeting will be at 6:30. Pleasant Valley Grange will meet at the Grange Hall a week earlier than usual on Thursday, April 16.

## Bethel Library notes

New books at the Bethel Library this month:

For young children: "Circus!" by Mattie Lou O'Kelley, and "Up North in Winter," by Deborah Hartley.

New junior books include "Look It Up Book of Presidents," by Walter Blasingame; "A Horse to Love," by Nancy Springer; and "Logging Machines in the Forest," by Janet Chieffari. Three new junior biographies have also been added: "Boy: Tales of Children," by Roald Dahl; "Elizabeth Blackwell," by Jean Lee Latham; and "Beatrix Potter: Children's Storyteller," by P.D. Frevert.

New adult non-fiction books include: "The Encyclopedia of North American Indians"; "Popular Science Do-It-Yourself Yearbook" (includes information on construction, remodeling and woodworking and has plans for backyard decks and kid's play centers); "Touch the Future: The Story of Christa McAuliffe," by Robert T. Holler; and "A Season on the Brink," by John Feinstein. Two home-decorating books are Adele Bishop's "The Art of Decorative Stenciling" and "Better Homes and Gardens Country Style."

A few of the many adult fiction titles are Danielle Steel's "Fine Things"; Robin Cook's "Outbreak"; Dorothy Case's "Leaving Lake Horn"; and Elmore Edmunds' "Bandits."

**SNOW TWISTERS TO MEET**

Bethel Snow Twisters will meet Tues-

day, April 14, at 7 p.m., at the Casco Bank Community Room. All bills must be in at this meeting.

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## Andover

By MARJORIE JOHNSON

Sp/4 Dwayne Jobrey returned from Bragg, N.C., on Sunday, May 3, after spending a two week furlough with his mother, Mrs. Rosemary George.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Thurston, Danny, Jon and Kurt spent a week visiting him and his wife, Mrs. Archer Poor, Jr.

On Tuesday afternoon, the roads closed again due to flooding. Quite a few people were stranded in the special town meeting school which was again cancelled in or out of Andover for quite a while.

Still no school on Thursday.

washouts and slippery roads were cut out in the washouts. Finally on Thursday the Lewiston Sun paper came with two days papers saved with two days of flooding.

Snow Valley Snow Goers dance at Andover Town Hall from 9 to 1 a.m. Tickets are \$2 at Akers store. Lunch will be served.

Rev. Marriette Churchill topic on Sunday, March 22, Person in Christ." The

24 from the Maine Relief Fund Portland to the home of Rev. Churchill, Mr. and Mrs. John Churchill.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Snyder Conn., were weekend guests Bodwell and Allen.

Not much news this week talks about is the high water paring it very well. It is year and there was no school. Those who could did, and those who could not did. Teachers all lived in town no excuse. We all walked.

Don't forget National Lampoon's *Animal Farm* celebrated April 5-11.

day, April 9 the open house and on April 11 Debbie Callahan is talking a talk on "Taking Care of You."

## Chapter 1 family

SAD #4's Chapter 1 P

their annual Family Night April 9. Families of Chapter 1 are invited to the Telstar between 6:30 and 8:30. The

Night is on the theme of

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play games. Special features

a book fair by Books 'n' Way and Mike Melton, artist. Ice cream cones will be sold.

Chapter 1 is a remedial

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## THE OXFORD COUNTY CITIZEN, BETHEL, MAINE

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**Andover** East Andover

By MARJORIE JODREY

Sp4 Dwayne Jodrey returned to Fort Bragg, N.C., on Sunday, March 29, after spending a two week furlough with his mother, Mrs. Rosemary Castant and George.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Thurston and sons, Danny, Jon and Kurt spent the weekend in Arundel visiting his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Thurston.

Sympathy is extended to Frances Nevel in the loss of her brother, Walter McHugh Sr.

Penny Poor of Plymouth, N.H., spent the weekend visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Archer Poor, Jr.

On Tuesday afternoon high water and closed roads cancelled school early and quite a few people were not able to attend the special town meeting. Wednesday school was again cancelled and it was in or out of Andover for quite sometime. Still no school on Thursday because of washouts and slippery roads. Road crews were out in force filling in washouts. Finally on Thursday afternoon the Lewiston Sun paper delivered arriving with two days papers with all the pictures of flooding.

Snow Valley Snow Goers are having a dance at Andover Town Hall April 11 from 9 to 1 a.m. Tickets are available at Akers store. Ranch will be served.

Rev. Marriette Churchill's sermon topic on Sunday, March 29, was "A New Person in Christ." The adult choir met Sunday morning to practice. Easter music and the Youth Group met in the evening. Monday Rev. Churchill was in Augusta at a healing meeting. Friday afternoon the children's choir practiced. Next week is all church sing by the deacons and choir. Deacon on call this week is Dolly Jones, 392-2661.

Mrs. Minnie Akers returned on March 24 from the Maine Rehab Center in Portland to the home of her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Percival.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Snyder of Putman, Conn., were weekend guests of Mrs. Eva Bodwell and Allen.

Not much news this week. All anyone talks about is the high water and comparing it with the flood of 1936. I remember it very well. It was my senior year and there was no interruption of school. Those who could get to school, did, and those who couldn't waited it out. Teachers all lived in town so there was no excuse. We all walked to school also.

Don't forget National Library Week being celebrated April 5-11 and on Thursday, April 9 the open house at the library and on April 11 Debbie Cayer will be giving a talk on "Taking Care of Your Pet."

## Chapter 1 family night

SAD #44's Chapter 1 Program will hold their annual Family Night on Thursday, April 9. Families of Chapter 1 students are invited to the Telstar cafeteria between 6:30 & 8:30. This year's Family Night is on the theme of a carnival. Children will be able to cash in tickets to play games. Special features will include a book fair by Books 'n' Things of Norway and Mike Melon, a local mime artist. Ice cream cones will be served to everyone.

Chapter 1 is a remedial instruction program, federally funded under the Education Consolidation and Improvement Act of 1981 (formerly Title I). The program in SAD #44 involves four teachers and three instructional aides with approximately 165 students in the five district schools.

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**Hanover**

By DONNA WORCESTER

Telstar District of Girl Scouts had a "Promise Circle" on March 12 at Rumford Junior/Senior High School. Area troops attending were Troop 800 (Juniors), Troop 904 (Seniors) and Daisies Troop 783.

The Cub Scout Bowling Tournament was completed during the month of March at the Oxford lanes in Rumford. Attending from Pack 509 on March 7, 14, and 21 were Anthony Mazza, Brian Worcester, Mike Arsenault, Jason Buck and Kenny Magoon.

Girls from Girl Scout Troop 800 attended Girl Scout Sunday services with Rumford area troops on March 8 at Saint Athanasius/St. John Church.

Cub Scout Troop 800 and Boy Scout Troop 509 attended a pancake breakfast on March 15. It was put on by the Elks Club in Rumford for area Boy Scouts and Girl Scouts.

Boy Scout Troop 509 hiked 1½ miles and camped out for two nights on March 20 and 21. Attending were Scouts Gary Godbols, Shannon Couture, Bob McPherson, Mark McPherson, and Brian Pinguere. Adults were Scoutmaster Roger McPherson, Gary Godbols and Spencer Couture.

Daisy Girl Scout Troop 783 put together a sweater basket and delivered it to Mrs. Katherine Penny of Hanover. Attending for the March 23 projects were Stacy Fortin, Denise Fortin, Jenny Worcester, Jessica Couture, Stacy Swan, Melissa Tibodeau, Troop Leader Debra Swan and Mrs. Linda Couture.

Girl Scout Troop 800 is having a bottle drive on April 4 to raise funds for a trip to the Boston Science Museum. They are also putting on a public Supper on April 11, 5 p.m. to 6:30 p.m. at the Knights of Pythias Hall in Hanover.

The Oxford Bears Lodge bowling team attended the Knight of Pythias Bowling Tournament in Bangor on March 2. Spencer Couture, Bob Hutchins, Craig Turner and Earl Hutchinson attended with Earl Hutchinson having the high score for the team.

**Songo Pond**

By ALICE KIMBALL

What an April Fools Day! Mother Nature surely put a good one over on the flood forecasters. No one around here ever saw Songo Pond as high as it was Wednesday. Water, water everywhere!

In spite of the waters over the road in several places, John and Helen Kallis made it to their home here Wednesday although they had to make several detours.

Warren Parsons spent a few days this week with his folks here.

Mrs. Lillian Kimball and Mrs. Evelyn Kimball of South Paris were callers here Thursday.

On Tuesday, Mark Lescault took Marky Jr. to Lewiston, along with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Lescault of West Paris. Little Marky spent the night with his grandparents and due to the flooding conditions, remained there the rest of the week.

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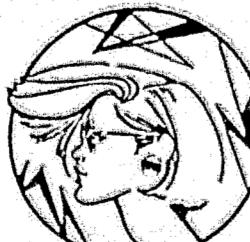
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Elderwood Manor Items

by Florence Hall

Louise Powell, Hale, visited her mother Alma Hewey.

Because of flooded roads the mini bus couldn't get to Andover for shoppers on Wednesday.

Alfred Marston, Saco, and son Christopher Hollis, were guests at Aunt Florence Hall's recently.

Norman and Julie White took Gertrude Hutchins and Florence Hall to see the high waters. There was no way to get out of town.

Deana Hutchins spent the night with her grandmother Gertrude Hutchins.

Callers at Bernice Glover's recently were her son and wife, Hollis, daughter Mary Thurston and Mardi Jodrey, Andover.

*Thought for the Day*

Bad habits are like a comfortable bed—easy to get into, but hard to get out of.

**Calvary Congregational Church**

Rev. Donald Grover's message last Sunday was "The Lord's Supper," I Corinthians 11:23-29. Communion was observed, it being the last Sunday of March. The choir sang, "Lord, Teach Us to Pray." Missionary Moments letters were read from New Brunswick Bible Institute and African Island Mission.

Sunday evening a delicious supper was served followed by a film "The Good Seed," a true story of two Wycliffe missionaries women. When they leave the tribe there are 6,000 believers and when they return 21 years later they find 44,000 believers.

April 11: Men's breakfast at Paris Hill Bible Church, April 14: D.V.B.S. meeting at 7 p.m. at the parsonage. Please try to attend all who are involved. Guest for Good Friday and Easter services will be Ken Robins from N.B.I.

This church stands without apology for the old-time religion and the absolute authority of the Bible.

**OPPORTUNITIES TO SCREEN PRE-SCHOOL CHILDREN NOT ENTERING KINDERGARTEN**

"Opportunities for preschool children" will be screening children next week who are not entering kindergarten in the fall, but who are least three years old. Hearing, speech and general development will be checked by the staff of Opportunities, who will be in SAD #44 on Tuesday, April 11, Legion Hall in Bethel, 9-2; Wednesday, April 15, Andover Elementary School, 11-2; Thursday, April 16, Woodstock Elementary School, 9-2.

Anyone having questions, should call Sue-Ellen Myers, 743-9701.

**CARD OF THANKS**

I wish to express appreciation and thanks to the staff at the Bethel Area Health Center and to all the doctors and nurses at Stephens Memorial Hospital for the wonderful care I received. A special thanks to my family and friends for the many kindnesses while I was hospitalized and since I have been home.

Myra Jordan

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Community Concepts, Inc., provides support services to 24 licensed day care homes throughout Oxford County. All of these day care providers participate in the Department of Agriculture, Food and Nutrition Services' Child Care Food Programs which assures that each child receives daily well-balanced and nutritious meals and snacks.

Many day care homes under the Community Concepts' sponsorship program include children of low-income, working families. Funded under a federal program, day care fees are nominal (as low as \$5 per week) and based on a sliding scale related to family income. While all day care homes serve private fee-paying families, those participating in the federal program must also include children facing unusually stressful circumstances, children of families seeking employment or those classified as Protection of Service children of the Department of Human Services.

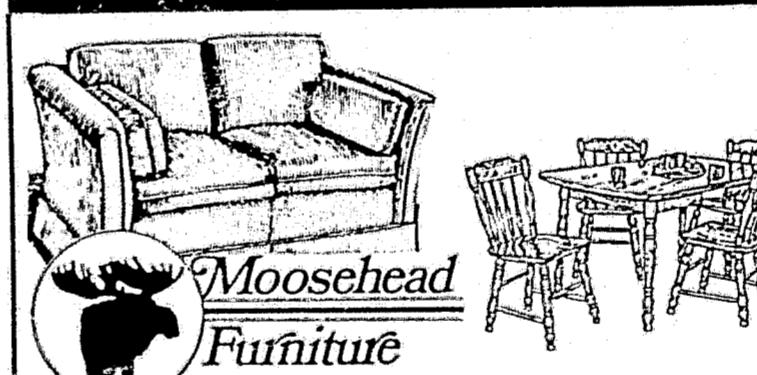
Families in Oxford County seeking day care services are encouraged to contact Community Concepts, Inc., Market Square, South Paris, or call Katie Coffin, Children's Services 743-7716. There are 26 funded day care openings for children in Oxford County, and information is also available on these places for qualifying families with pre-school children.

The Child Care Food Program provides a subsidy to day care providers to defray food costs. Currently licensed homes or new day-care providers interested in participating in the Food and Nutrition program are urged to contact Children's Services at Community Concepts.

Those who provide day care in their homes and are not part of Community Concepts' Day Care Support Program are also encouraged to contact Community Concepts, Inc., to learn more about the licensing process. Licensing information can also be obtained by writing the Department of Human Services, Licensing Unit, State House Station 11, Augusta, Maine 04333 or calling 289-5060. Licensing assures parents and providers that day care homes meet basic requirements of health and safety.

buckets while trying to unplug drain and plug up holes. It was small peanuts compared to so many in the area.

Robert Judkins was bitten on his ankle by the Douglass dog. The dog is usually hitched but was having a once a day run and dashed into the street as Bob walked by. Bob was taken to Bethel Health Center for treatment.

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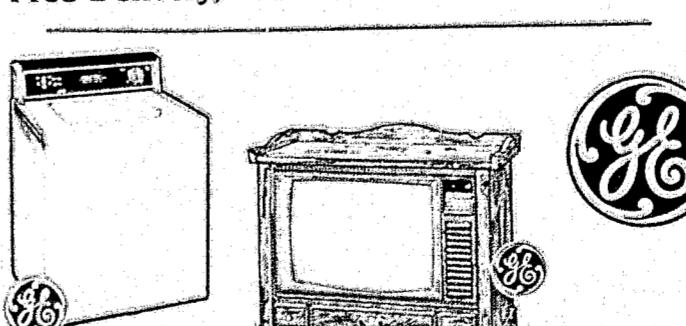
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**Community Calendar****CARS MUST YIELD TO HORSES**

The Maine State Police remind motorists that horses have the right-of-way on Maine roads.

"With the increased use of horses in springtime, motorists are reminded to use reasonable caution when approaching these animals on our roads," said Col. Andrew Demers, Jr., chief of the Maine State Police.

Col. Demers said motorists can be fined up to \$250 if they drive in such a manner as to willfully annoy, startle, harass or frighten any horse being ridden or driven in any direction on or near a public road.

Maine Law (Title 29, sec. 897) states that a motorist must stop on approaching a frightened horse, as signaled by a raised hand or by any other visible sign by the person with the animal. The motorist is to come to a stop as soon as possible and allow the horse to pass.



**HONORED AT BRIDAL SHOWER**  
Stephanie Fuller was guest of honor at a bridal shower on Sunday, April 5, at the home of Stephanie Fuller. Hostesses were Dee-Dee Cox, Mary Poland, and Shannon Fuller.

Guests attending were: Elsie Fuller,

Nancy Wardwell, Sally Wardwell, Arlene Harrington, Lori Noyes, Bessie Hollis,

Mary Stone, Sue Burnham, Trisha Mills,

Sharon Hutchins, Deanna Hutchins,

and Shannon Fuller.

Woodstock Historical Society: 7 p.m., Woodstock Historical Society Museum.

First Monday of Each Month:

Sons of American Legion, 7:30 p.m.,

Jackson-Silver Post #68, American

Legion, Locke Mills.

Second Monday of Each Month:

Newry Mothers' Club meets at Swan

Club Room, 7:30 p.m.

Every Tuesday Evening:

Game Party at

Mundi-Alan Post #81, Vernon Street,

Bethel, 6:30 p.m.

First Thursday of Each Month:

Bethel Historical Society, Dr. Moses

Mason House, 7:30 p.m.

Second Thursday of Each Month:

Bethel Lodge #37, AF &amp; AM.

Second Thursday of Each Month:

7:30 p.m., Cross Country Quilters meet at the

Bethel Library.

Third Thursday of Each Month:

Wind Valley Snowmobile Club, Club

Room, Newry, 6:30 p.m., potluck; 7:30

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Every Friday Game Party at Jack-

son-Silver Post #68, Gore Road, Locke

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Third Friday of Each Month: Mt.

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## EBS/CPS Kids' World

By LAURIE BERGERON

Mrs. McCluskey and her first grade class congratulate student Robert Chapman! Robert has shown extra effort in reading and is working on a story about trucks which he may decide to publish. We're sure proud of you, Robert!

Marta Grover's little lamb, Tommy, recently visited first grade. The children asked Marta many questions about Tommy and enjoyed watching him romp about. Everybody enjoyed reciting the nusery rhyme, "Martha Had a Little Lamb!"

Congratulations to Angela Lovejoy and Nancy Morgan, students in Mrs. Baldwin's 4th grade. Angela and Nancy have mastered their addition, subtraction, multiplication and division one hundred basic fact timed tests in less than three minutes!

Mrs. Gilbert's fourth graders are really enjoying the rabbits loaned to them by Maryvonne Wheeler. They're also learning a lot about rabbits; like what a rabbit's home is called and that rabbits are born with their eyes closed and without hair while hares are born with a full coat of fur and their eyes opened!

As you may be aware, a vast majority of EBS/CPS teachers spend an hour after school each week sharing ideas on the writing process they are using. In addition the following teachers are very involved in courses after school:

Mrs. Howe, Ms. Seames, and Mrs. Ellsworth; graduate courses in Farmington and Gorham.

Ms. Ellsworth, Ms. Merrill, Mrs. Wight, Mrs. Cordan, Mrs. Baldwin, Mrs. Gilbert, and Mrs. Wheeler; computer course.

Mrs. Germain, Mrs. Gilbert, and Mrs. Walton; "Effective Communication in the Classroom."

## Young mother support group in Bethel area

The Young Mother Support Group meets every Wednesday night from 6:30 to 9:30 p.m. at Telstar Regional High School in Judi Brown's resource room.

Workshops are presented the first hour or so and then open discussions on mothers' needs and concerns are talked about. Any young mother or mother with small child(ren) are welcome to attend the meetings.

The following workshops have been scheduled for the next two weeks:

April 8—Adult Education and getting a GED. Cathy Newell will be the presenter from SAD #44 Adult and Community Education.

April 15—Self Esteem and Goal Setting

**Harvey's Antiques THIS, THAT & THINGS**  
Railroad St., Bryant Pond, Me.  
Open 7 days a week, 9-5, 665-2675



**THE RAGTAG PEOPLE'S THEATRE** is presently presenting an after-dinner production of the musical "Jacques Brel is Alive and Well... and Living in Paris" at The Bethel Inn. In the cast are, seated middle, Jim Robertson, seated left to right, Tineke Ouwinga and Stefanie Jacobs, standing, Richard Shadroui, Elaine Michaud and Dan Marois. The performance is directed by Burt defrees. Show times are April 17, 18, 24 and 25. The curtain goes up at 9 p.m. Sunday matinees are April 12 and 19, at 4 p.m. For reservations, call the Inn, at 824-2175.

## SENIOR CITIZEN MENUS

Monday, April 13: American chop suey, broccoli, biscuit, orange.

Tuesday, April 14: Veal patty with gravy, mashed potatoes, beets, bread, peach crisp with topping.

Thursday, April 16: Chicken-a-la-king, carrots, biscuit, pudding.

presented by Sue Ellen Richardson, social service coordinator for Community Concepts, Inc.

If you find transportation or child care a problem, please give Judi Brown a call at 824-2136.

Coordinators and facilitators of the group are, Judi Brown, Susan Haley, and Kathy Sutton.

April 15—Self Esteem and Goal Setting

**CARPENTRY**  
Interior or exterior remodeling  
Cabinet making  
John Kimball  
824-3191

## PURITY CHAPTER HOLDING SPECIAL MEETING APRIL 13

Purity Chapter #102 will be holding a "special meeting" on Monday, April 13, at 7:30 p.m. This is for the purpose of installation, jurisdictional, memorial, and friendship night. There will be a pot luck supper at 6:30.

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## Community Calendar

### CARS MUST YIELD TO HORSES

The Maine State Police remind motorists that horses have the right-of-way on Maine roads.

"With the increased use of horses in springtime, motorists are reminded to use reasonable caution when approaching these animals on our roads," said Col. Andrew Demers, Jr., chief of the Maine State Police.

Col. Demers said motorists can be fined up to \$250 if they drive in such a manner as to willfully annoy, startle, harass or frighten any horse being ridden or driven in any direction on or near a public road.

Maine Law (Title 29, sec. 907) states that a motorist must stop on approaching a frightened horse, as signified by a raised hand or by any other visible sign by the person with the animal. The motorist is to come to a stop as soon as possible and allow the horse to pass.

### HONORED AT BRIDAL SHOWER

Stephanie Fuller was guest of honor at a bridal shower on Sunday, April 5, at the home of Stephanie Fuller. Hostesses were Dee-Dee Cox, Mary Poland, and Shannon Fuller.

Guests attending were: Elsie Fuller, Nancy Wardwell, Sally Wardwell, Arlene Harrington, Lora Noyes, Bessie Hollis, Mary Stone, Sue Burham, Trisha Mills, Sharon Hutchins, Deanna Hutchins, Wilma Staci, and Gloria Crockett.

Those unable to attend but sending gifts were: Joan Kimball, Betty Hollis, and Lorriane Williams.

Bethel Library Hours: Tuesday, 1-5 p.m.; Wednesday, 1-5 p.m., 6-8 p.m.; Thursday, 10-11 a.m. Pro-School Story Hour, 1-5 p.m.; Friday, 4-9 p.m.; Saturday, 1-5 p.m.; Betsy Raymond, Librarian.

REACH — Sexual Abuse Helpline, 743-9777. Serving victims of sexual abuse—past or present. 24 hour service in Oxford County.

First Wednesday of Each Month: Purity Chapter #102, OES, 6:30 supper, 7:30 meeting.

First Wednesday of Each Month: Sons of American Legion, 7:30 p.m., Jackson-Silver Post #68, American Legion, Locke Mills.

Third Wednesday of Each Month: Mundi-Allen Post, American Legion, meeting at 7:30 p.m.

Every Thursday: Game Party at Mundi-Allen Post #81, Vernon Street, Bethel, 6:30 p.m.

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Second Thursday of Each Month: Bethel Lodge #97, AF & AM.

Second Thursday of Each Month: Bethel Lions Club meets at the Bethel Lions Den, Main St. Social hour, 6:30-7 p.m.; Dinner at 7 p.m. and meeting follows.

Third Thursday of Each Month: Windy Valleys Snowmobile Club, Club Room, Newry, 6:30 p.m., potluck; 7:30 p.m., meeting.

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Third Friday of Each Month: Mt. Abram Lodge, IOOF, 7:30 p.m.

Second Saturday of Each Month:



DOUG BROOKS, A CHEMICAL ENGINEER at James River Corporation, visited Mrs. Lunney's Maine Studies classes last week to demonstrate the papermaking process. The students were able to see samples of each step of papermaking and also a videotape of the machines used. (Mr. Brooks, a graduate of Telstar in 1975, is Mrs. Lunney's brother.)

ROTARY CLUB  
NOTES



**B.E.A.R.S.**  
Bethel Emergency Ambulance  
and Rescue Service

The Bethel Rotary Club held its regular breakfast meeting on Tuesday, April 7, at Martha's Restaurant.

Visiting Rotarians joining with the group on Tuesday were: Dick Gove of Lewiston; and Dick Myers, of Goshen, Ind.

Bruce Powell was out hustling raffle tickets again and pulled a new rabbit out of the hat. Rollie Glines was this week's winner.

Rotary information was furnished by Bill Conary. Bill held a question and answer session which created lots of laughs and good humor. Romeo Baker won the prize for the best answers.

President Dave talked about the programs for the future including polio plus and Group Study Exchange Program. He also announced a special meeting of the board which was held immediately after the meeting.

The program chairman was Dave Murphy. His guest speaker was Cliff Michaelson of channel 8 weather. Cliff grew up in the Oxford area. He then attended college in geology and meteorology. Cliff begged off on accepting the responsibility for all the bad weather we have been having recently.

Thank you from Arlene Greenleaf to all the people that helped in the final practical exam of the EMT class on Thursday March 26 and at the state testing on Monday, March 30. There were 15 people involved on helping out with the testing on March 26, and 20 at the testing session on March 30. People that helped test on March 30 were from Wilton, Tiverton, Stoneham, Rural Emergency Medical Services, and Bethel.

The BEARS are grateful that all occurred well and no major accidents occurred during the recent flood.

### Safety Tip

Be careful when working with tools. Make sure you are using them as they are supposed to be used. When a tool is used improperly it may break or slip causing harm to the user. Take the time to do things right. Do not hurry or use make-shift things. Most injuries are the result of carelessness. When extra help is needed, get that extra help. Do not try to do something that is beyond your knowledge or your capabilities.

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He stressed the problems that exist with the acid rain situation in New England, Canada, and in the mid-west. The scope of their problem is not fully realized by many of us and Cliff brought this fact to life very dramatically. Cliff fielded

### Pre-school kindergarten registration in SAD #44 during week of April 13

The dates and locations for pre-school kindergarten registration in SAD #44 are as follows:

Monday and Tuesday, April 13 and 14:

Bethel area students will register at the Legion Hall on Vernon Street in Bethel.

Wednesday, April 15: Andover area students will register at the Andover Elementary School.

Thursday, April 16: Bryant Pond students will register at the Woodstock Elementary School.

Parents are reminded to bring not only the child who is to be registered, but a copy of the child's birth certificate, which SAD #44 can keep, and immunization records (from a clinic, doctor, or nurse) as well.

Forms will be mailed the first week in April to parents. If you did not receive a form by April 13, 1987, please call Mrs. Marge Bartlett, SAD #44 District Nurse, at 824-2138.

Opportunities for Preschool Children will be available to screen 3 and 4 year olds not entering school. This is a free developmental screening. For specific times at the site of your registration clinic, please call Mrs. Bartlett at 824-2138 or Sue Ellen Myers at 743-9701.

### SCHOOL LUNCH MENU

SAD #44—WEEK OF APRIL 13

Monday: Hamburg gravy on rice or biscuit, salad, banana and a blueberry muffin, milk.

Tuesday: Chicken nuggets, mashed potato, peas, fruit, hot roll and butter, milk.

Wednesday: Lasagna, green beans, orange juice, cookies, bread and butter, milk.

Thursday: Steak au jus in bun, green pepper and onion slices, corn, cheese slice and fruit, milk.

Friday: Fish and batter, french fries, mixed vegetables, frosted cake, bread and peanut butter, milk.

SAD #17—WEEK OF APRIL 13

Monday: Tacos (meat, cheese, lettuce, tomato), cookie, milk.

Tuesday: Barbecue beef over noodles, mixed vegetables, roll and butter, granola bar, milk.

Wednesday: Italian sandwich, chips, fruit, milk.

Thursday: Hot ham 'n cheese, baked beans, roll and butter, fruit, milk.

Friday: Workshop Day.

### FELLOWSHIP DAY APRIL 14

#### AT MEAL SITE

The Bethel Senior Citizen Meal Site will have another fellowship day on Tuesday, April 14. Anyone 60 or over who has not been to the meal site can have a free dinner. Please let Sarah Stevens, 824-2492, know by Monday night, April 13, if you plan to come.

That's one day for birthday cake and ice cream in honor of the April birthdays. Linda Smith from Gilford has been making the birthday cakes since last November.

Hop to see some new faces.

### IN MEMORIAM

In Memory of  
Myrtle Keniston

who passed away April 11, 1972

Dear Auntie,

I wish you were here to see the beautiful

springtime here now, with your sister and me.

It's now fifteen years and we still

remember, and think of those times we so

much miss.

Those times we shared were so special

in each other. We held them in our hearts,

and that's where they'll stay.

You're in good hands where you are up

above. Just want you to know we're still

missing you. With love,

Niece, Bonnie

&

Sister, Marion



— Maine's finest group —

**Corner**

# TELSTAR SPRING SPORTS

## Varsity & JV Baseball

Date	Opponent	Varsity	JV	Time
<b>APRIL</b>				
Sat., 11th	Lisbon, DH	Away	—	11:00 a.m.
Fri., 17th	Berlin, (exhib.)	Away	Home	3:30 p.m.
Sat., 18th	Ox. Hills, DH	Away	—	10:00 a.m.
Mon., 20th	Berlin (exhib.)	Home	Away	4:00 p.m.
Fri., 24th	Buckfield	Home	—	10:00 a.m.
Mon., 27th	NYA	Home	—	3:30 p.m.
Wed., 29th	Carrabec	Away	—	3:30 p.m.
<b>MAY</b>				
Fri., 1st	Leavitt	—	Home	3:30 p.m.
Sat., 2nd	Mt. Abram, DH	Away	—	12:00 Noon
Tues., 5th	Buckfield	Home	—	3:30 p.m.
Wed., 6th	Lisbon	—	Away	3:30 p.m.
Sat., 9th	NYA, DH	Home	—	10:00 a.m.
Mon., 11th	St. Doms	Home	Away	3:30 p.m.
Wed., 13th	Carrabec	Home	—	3:30 p.m.
Wed., 13th	Jay	—	Away	3:30 p.m.
Fri., 15th	Hebron (exhib.)	Home	—	3:30 p.m.
Mon., 18th	Sacopee	Home	Away	3:30 p.m.
Wed., 20th	St. Doms	Away	Home	3:30 p.m.
Fri., 22nd	Buckfield	Away	—	3:30 p.m.
Tues., 26th	St. Doms	Home	Away	3:30 p.m.
Wed., 27th	Lisbon	—	Home	3:30 p.m.
<b>JUNE</b>				
Tues., 2nd	Ox. Hills	—	Away	3:30 p.m.

## Varsity & JV Softball

Date	Opponent	Varsity	JV	Time
Sat., 11th	Lisbon, DH	Away	—	11:00 a.m.
Wed., 15th	Hebron (exhib.)	Home	—	3:00 p.m.
Thurs., 16th	Berlin	Away	Away	3:30 p.m.
Fri., 17th	Hebron (exhib.)	Away	—	3:30 p.m.
Sat., 18th	Ox. Hills, DH	Away	—	10:00 a.m.
Mon., 20th	Berlin (exhib.)	Home	Away	4:00 p.m.
Tues., 22nd	Gould (exhib.)	Away	—	1:00 p.m.
Mon., 27th	NYA	Home	—	3:30 p.m.
Tues., 28th	Gould	—	Away	3:00 p.m.
Wed., 29th	Carrabec	Away	—	3:30 p.m.
Wed., 29th	Leavitt	—	Away	3:30 p.m.
<b>MAY</b>				
Fri., 1st	Leavitt	—	Home	3:30 p.m.
Sat., 2nd	Mt. Abram, DH	Away	—	12:00 Noon
Tues., 5th	Buckfield	Home	—	3:30 p.m.
Wed., 6th	Lisbon	—	Away	3:30 p.m.
Sat., 9th	NYA, DH	Home	—	10:00 a.m.
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at Carrabec/Winthrop/  
Messalonskee—girls only  
at Winthrop/Livemore Falls—  
boys only  
at Mexico/Madison/  
Mt. Abram—girls only  
at Jay/Mexico/Messalonskee—  
boys only  
at Jay/Leavitt/Livemore Host—  
girls only  
at Mexico/Lisbon/Livemore—  
boys only  
at Mexico/Leavitt—girls only  
at Mt. Abram/Leavitt/  
Mexico—boys only  
at Mt. Abram/Lisbon/  
Messalonskee—girls only  
at Carrabec/Livemore/  
Madison—boys only  
at Rumford—boys only  
at Mexico—girls only  
at Berlin, N.H.—boys & girls  
at Sacopee—boys & girls  
Regional Meet—boys & girls  
State Meet—boys & girls

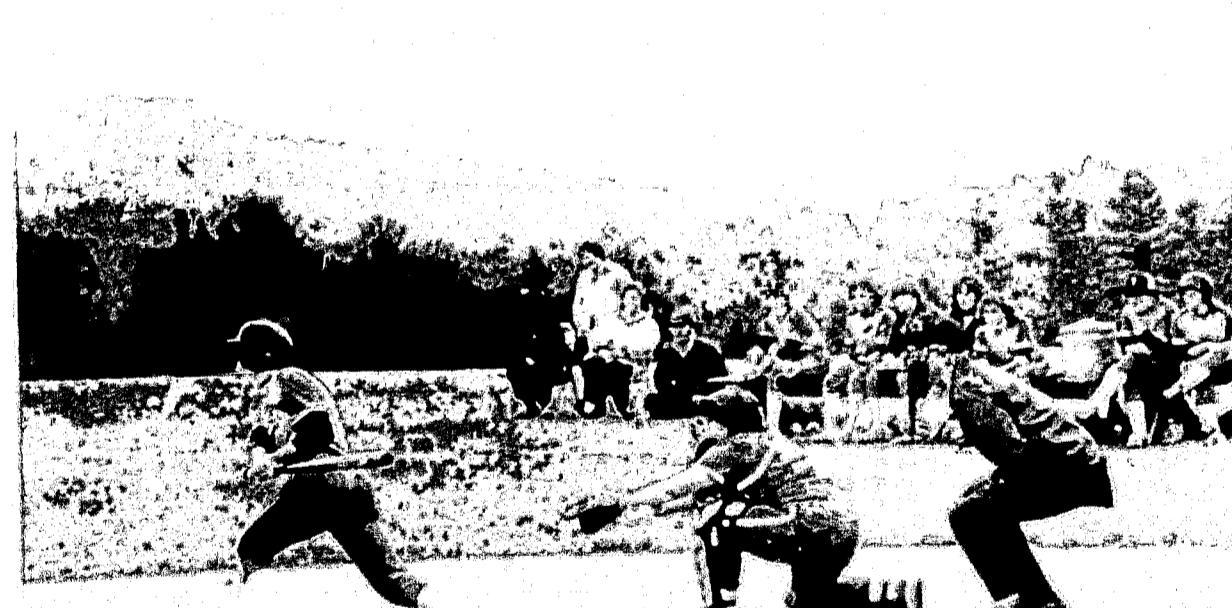
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## Telstar Middle School Baseball & Softball

Date	Team	Baseball	Softball	Time
Tues., April 28	Oxford Hills	Home	Home	3:30 p.m.
Thur., April 30	Peru	—	—	3:30 p.m.
Fri., May 1	Peru	Away	Home	3:30 p.m.
Mon., May 4	Mexico	Home	Home	4:00 p.m.
Wed., May 6	Gorham, NH	Away	Away	3:30 p.m.
Thur., May 7	Peru	Home	—	3:30 p.m.
Fri., May 8	Peru	Away	Away	3:30 p.m.
Tues., May 12	Dirigo	Home	Home (CPS)	3:30 p.m.
Thur., May 14	Rumford	Away	Away	3:30 p.m.
Tues., May 19	Rumford	Away	Away	3:30 p.m.
Thurs., May 21	Mexico	Away	Away	3:30 p.m.
Tues., May 26	Oxford Hills	Away	Away	3:30 p.m.
Thurs., May 28	Dirigo	Home	Home	3:30 p.m.
Mon., June 1	Gorham, NH	Home	Home	3:30 p.m.
Sat., June 6	Sandy-Audy League Championship at Eastern Site			

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### INFORMATION ON AVAILABILITY OF FLOOD VICTIMS' ASSISTANCE

Rep. Jeff Mills (D-Bethel) has assembled the following information relating to assistance available to victims of loss in the recent flood.

Governor McKernan is applying to Washington for Federal Disaster Relief, which must be approved by President Reagan. Funds would then be allocated to Maine. Senator George Mitchell's office will send a packet of information relating to flood assistance to those who request it. Anyone interested in receiving the packet should contact Mitchell's office, 743-0163.

According to Bethel Civil Emergency Preparedness Norman Clark, damage report forms, available to the Bethel town and at Prin's Pharmacy in Bethel should be filled out and returned as soon as possible. Information from these forms will be used by the state to substantiate the request for disaster relief. He urged those who have suffered damage to document such damage with pictures if possible.

Mitchell hosts meeting in So. Paris April 14

Sen. George Mitchell will hold a public meeting at the Oxford Hills Jr. High School cafeteria, in South Paris, next Tuesday, April 14, at 7 p.m.

Oxford County residents are invited to attend and to express their opinions, concerns and questions on federal matters.

ARTICLE I To choose a moderator to wit:

ARTICLE II Shall the Regional Vocational Budget as approved by the Cooperative Board for the year 1987-1988 be approved in the amount of \$26,404,402?

ARTICLE III Shall the Regional Vocational Budget as approved by the Cooperative Board for adult education for the year 1987-1988 be approved in the amount of \$23,053.

(S.A.D. #44 Assessment \$1,282)

ARTICLE IV To see what sum the District will appropriate from the foundation allocation for school purposes (Recommend \$31,130,05) and to see what sum the District will assume as the local share of the foundation allocation

(Recommend \$1,318,039)

ARTICLE V To see what sum the District will appropriate from the debt service allocation (Recommend \$303,628)

and to see what sum the District will raise as the local share of debt service (Recommend \$83,628)

ARTICLE VI To see what sum the District will raise as additional local funds under the provisions of 20-A MRSA (Recommend \$156,14)

ARTICLE VII To see what sum the District will authorize the school committee to expend for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1987, and ending June 30, 1988, from the foundation allocation, debt service allocation, unexpended balances, tuition receipts, local appropriations, state subsidy, and other revenues for the support of schools (School Committee recommends \$4,460,285)

ARTICLE VIII To see what sum the District will appropriate for adult education (Recommend \$72,330) and to see what sum the District will raise as the local share (Recommend \$25,330)

ARTICLE IX To see if the District will vote to authorize the Board of Directors to make applications for, accept, and expand on behalf of the school committee grants in aid or other funds for educational purposes as may now or hereafter be available or forthcoming from the U.S. Government, the State of Maine, any private or public agency, or any individual

Given over our hands this 23rd day of February, 1987

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Board of Directors of School Administrative District #44

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A true copy of the warrant

ATTEST:

Eugene Buswell, a citizen of Maine

## Students from Unity College assist in Newry

Three seniors from Unity College, Unity, Maine, have been working here weekends since early February helping Newry Planning Board members draft a Comprehensive Plan for the town.

With their help, the group has completed work next week they will have provided the basic for the Natural Resources section of the Plan.

Team member Natalie Smith, of Belknap, N.H., a forestry major, says of their findings: "The natural resources of (Newry) are high quality. It's very beautiful country."

More important than these qualitative judgments are the inventorying the students are doing. When they are finished, they will produce maps showing the distribution and quantity of the town's minerals, soils, forests, scenery, waterways and wildlife.

The team has found that about 8 percent of the land is forested, with an average of 86 tons of biomass per acre for the entire town. There are an average of 177 trees per acre, though the students have yet to count down between hardwoods and softwoods.

Team member Merlin Benner, of Morris, Pa., a wildlife major, says the forests of Newry are being harvested at the expense of fields and pastures. This accounts for the reported drop in the number of deer in the area, he says, because they require clear areas for browsing.

Helping bring the inventories together is team member Melissa Smith, of Stamford, Conn., an environmental policy major.

Planning Board member Veronika Smith, who is heading the town's effort to produce a Comprehensive Plan, invited Unity College to help with the Plan. Since Unity seniors must do an internship or independent study project or senior thesis in order to graduate, finding volunteers was not difficult for the college.

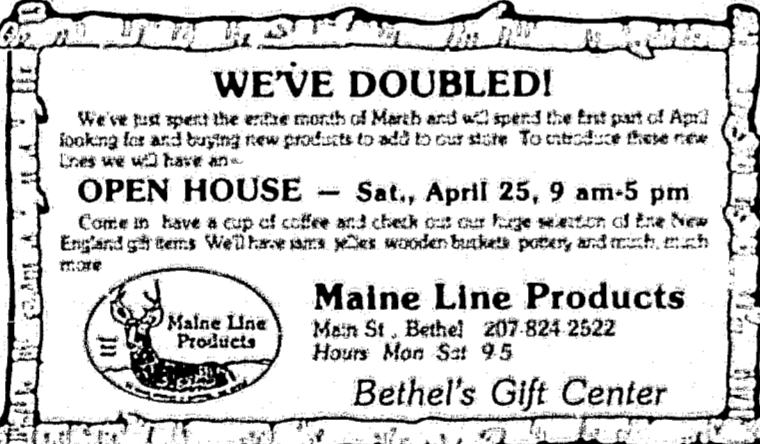
Natalie volunteered for the project, which is one of the first she has ever done.

When their portion of the Plan is finished, the three students will make the policy recommendations portion of the Plan. Ms. Smith says these may include such issues as recommendations for an aquatic recreation zone, a great pit buffer site. The public will be invited to sit with the board to come up with policy recommendations to include in the Plan, she said.

The Plan should be ready for the selection's perusal later this spring. A target date of July 1 has been set for a special town meeting to approve the Comprehensive Plan.

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## Newry residents want curbs on development

According to responses solicited by the Planning Board from Newry residents, the majority of the residents want curbs on development in town.

Last month, 140 responses to the board's questionnaire were tabulated. The results included these findings:

"Asking about aspects of life in their town, they like the level of general growth of the town, while another 14 cited increasing traffic.

"Asked if there should be a limit to the number of houses built in Newry, 100 said 'yes,' while 24 said 'no,' and 16 had no response.

"Asked what sort of industrial development they wanted, 33 suggested home-based crafts and 54 suggested outdoor recreation. Another 33 suggested skiing-related recreation, 14 suggested general recreation in general and 42 suggested more bed and breakfast establishments.

"Newry people like their privacy. The town majority would prefer to live in a house or a grocery store, a gas station, a mobile home park, a sawmill, a condominium, or a manufacturing plant.

"It was suggested by a count of 74 to 27, that development in town be limited to a certain area of town.

"Asked to comment on the quality of life in Newry, 100 respondents cited fire and police protection as being the poorest. By a large margin, they said they would prefer to pay higher taxes to get better protection.

Of the 140 residents who turned in their questionnaires, 48 work right in Newry. Of those employed, 40 work part-time, 8 work full-time and 10 work in Rumford. Most said they like their town because it is quiet and peaceful, with small town privacy.

## Zippers and bandboxes in SAD #44 aid ed

Two pre-session workshops will be offered in late April to help the Maine business community understand Maine's role in the United States in terms of business attractiveness.

As we address this far-reaching issue,

it is important that we have a clear and accurate picture of Maine's economy, the good and bad news. This is often done by those who, for other reasons, are determined to portray Maine as a poor place to do business.

Their claim is not only false, but extremely misleading.

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McCarraher will offer her Zipper Repair

Tuesday, April 21, at 7 p.m. at Tolson Hall.

The workshop will demonstrate how many zipper malfunctions can be repaired without the trouble and expense of replacing the entire zipper. Participants are encouraged to bring garments with non-functioning zippers for the demonstration.

McCarraher, a Rumford resident, will be held on Tuesday, May 5, at Tolson Hall at 7 p.m. Mrs. McCarraher will be the instructor for this session which will cover the making of a new craft item. Band boxes are oval or round, and are covered



UNITY COLLEGE STUDENTS Nata Fice, Merlin Benner and Melissa Smith go over Newry maps with Planning Board member Veronika Smith (center) at the Newry town office. The group is preparing the natural resources section of the town's draft Comprehensive Plan.

## From Augusta

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with fabric or wallpaper. These are inexpensive to make and should be an excellent addition to craft or craft fairs during the summer season. A supply list will be provided.

Pre-registration is required, and is charged, and students are welcome to sit with the board to come up with policy recommendations to include in the Plan, she said.

The Newry Plan should be ready for the selection's perusal later this spring. A target date of July 1 has been set for a special town meeting to approve the Comprehensive Plan.

That's the last word I have to say about the Newry Plan.

Next week I will discuss the new recommendations for the town's Comprehensive Plan.

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